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## Arizona Department of Public Safety Loop 101 Photo Enforcement results in the arrest of a Mesa Resident for Criminal Speeding.

On Wednesday October 31, 2007 Arizona Department of Public Safety Officers arrested 36 year old Julius Rene Paet Malantangay of Mesa for two counts of Criminal Speed, one count of reckless driving and one count of endangerment.

On September 29, 2007 Photo Enforcement Cameras on Loop 101 eastbound captured Malantangay at 107 miles per hour at 2:10am. Minutes later the same driver's speed was captured at 131 miles per hour heading southbound on the Loop 101 Raintree Drive. The posted speed limit is 65 miles per hour.

Malantangay was arrested at his job then booked into the Scottsdale City Jail and was released on his own recognizance the next day.

At the time of the incident Malantangay was driving a 2001 BMW M3

He faces up to six months in jail, \$2500.00 in fines and three years probation.

"I think this sends a clear message. The technology of photo enforcement on our freeways is helping us find and prosecute those motorists who have absolutely no regard for posted speed limits nor any regard for the safety of others on the road." said Roger Vanderpool Director of the Arizona Department of Public Safety

\*DPS has video of the suspects arrest on DVD. Media can pick up a copy at 2102 W. Encanto Blvd Phoenix, Az at the Duty Office located on the north side of the building.\*

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